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INVENTION:      **"METHOD CONTROL CIRCUIT, COMPUTER PROGRAM  
PRODUCT AND PRINTING DEVICE FOR AN  
ELECTROPHOTOGRAPHIC PROCESS WITH  
TEMPERATURE-COMPENSATED DISCHARGE DEPTH  
REGULATION"**

**MAIL STOP PATENT APPLICATION**

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In accordance with the provisions of 37 CFR 1.56, Applicant respectfully requests that a citation and examination of the following documents be made during the course of examination of the above-referenced application for United States Letters Patent.

See Form PTO-1449 for list of  
prior art cited by applicants.

**EXPLANATION OF RELEVANCE**

References AL, AM, AP, and AQ1 are cited for the reasons noted in the German Patent Office Action of August 5, 2003, a copy of which is enclosed.

References AA, AB, AC, AD, AN, AO, AQ2-AQ5, and AR are cited for the reasons noted in Applicant's specification.

Copies of the above-cited references are enclosed for the Examiner's review.

Respectfully submitted,

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<b>U.S. PATENT DOCUMENTS</b>								
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<b>OTHER PRIOR ART (Including Author, Title, Date, Pertinent Pages, Etc.)</b>								
	AR	Das Druckerbuch – Gerd Goldmann						
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